

Atty. Docket #: 215379US-3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Yoshiaki UEMATSU, et al..

: GROUP ART UNIT: Unknown

SERIAL NO: New Utility Application

: EXAMINER: Unassigned

FILED: Herewith

FOR: A WIRING BOARD AND
A METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING THE
WIRING BOARD

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application, as follows, without prejudice:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 17 and 18 as shown in the Marked-Up Copy at the end of this Amendment. A clean copy Claims 17 and 18 is shown below:

17. (Amended) The wiring board according to claim 3,
wherein the base board includes an insulating layer,
wherein the insulating portion is filled with an insulator which has a higher dielectric
constant than an insulator in the insulating layer.

18. (Amended) The wiring board according to claim 4,
wherein the base board includes an insulating layer,